UK MIFIR PRODUCT GOVERNANCE / **PROFESSIONAL INVESTORS AND ECPS ONLY TARGET MARKET** – Solely for the purposes of the manufacturer's product approval process, the target market assessment in respect of the Senior Notes has led to the conclusion that: (i) the target market for the Senior Notes is only eligible counterparties, as defined in the FCA Handbook Conduct of Business Sourcebook ("COBS"), and professional clients, as defined in Regulation (EU) No 600/2014 as it forms part of the domestic law of the United Kingdom (the "UK") by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, as amended ("UK MiFIR"); and (ii) all channels for distribution of the Senior Notes to eligible counterparties and professional clients are appropriate. Any person subsequently offering, selling or recommending the Senior Notes (a "distributor") should take into consideration the manufacturer's target market assessment; however, a distributor subject to the FCA Handbook Product Intervention and Product Governance Sourcebook (the "UK MiFIR Product Governance Rules") is responsible for undertaking its own target market assessment in respect of the Senior Notes (by either adopting or refining the manufacturer's target market assessment) and determining appropriate distribution channels.

PROHIBITION OF SALES TO EEA RETAIL INVESTORS - The Senior Notes are not intended to be offered, sold or otherwise made available to any retail investor in the European Economic Area (the "EEA"). For these purposes, a retail investor means a person who is one (or more) of: (i) a retail client as defined in point (11) of Article 4(1) Directive 2014/65/EU (as amended, "MiFID II"); (ii) a customer within the meaning of Directive (EU) 2016/97 (as amended), where that customer would not qualify as a professional client as defined in point (10) of Article 4(1) of MiFID II; or (iii) not a qualified investor as defined in Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 (as amended, the "Prospectus Regulation"). Consequently, no key information document required by Regulation (EU) No 1286/2014 (as amended, the "PRIIPs Regulation") for offering or selling the Senior Notes or otherwise making them available to retail investors in the EEA has been prepared and therefore offering or selling the Senior Notes or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the EEA may be unlawful under the PRIIPs Regulation.

PROHIBITION OF SALES TO UK RETAIL INVESTORS - The Senior Notes are not intended to be offered, sold or otherwise made available to and should not be offered, sold or otherwise made available to any retail investor in the UK. For these purposes, a retail investor means a person who is one (or more) of: (i) a retail client, as defined in point (8) of Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 2017/565 as it forms part of domestic law of the UK by virtue of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (as amended, the "EUWA"); (ii) a customer within the meaning of the provisions of the UK Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (as amended, the "FSMA") and any rules or regulations made under the FSMA to implement Directive (EU) 2016/97 (as amended), where that customer would not qualify as a professional client, as defined in point (8) of Article 2(1) of Regulation (EU) No 600/2014 as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the EUWA; or (iii) not a qualified investor as defined in Article 2 of the Prospectus Regulation as it forms part of domestic law of the UK by virtue of the EUWA (as amended, the "UK Prospectus Regulation"). Consequently, no key information document required by Regulation (EU) No 1286/2014 (as amended) as it forms part of domestic law by virtue of the EUWA (the "UK PRIIPs Regulation") for offering or selling the Senior Notes or otherwise making them available to retail investors in the UK has been prepared and therefore offering or selling the Senior Notes or otherwise making them available to any retail investor in the UK may be unlawful under the UK PRIIPs Regulation.

THESE SENIOR NOTES ARE SUBJECT TO CONVERSION IN WHOLE OR IN PART – BY MEANS OF A TRANSACTION OR SERIES OF TRANSACTIONS AND IN ONE OR MORE STEPS – INTO COMMON SHARES OF THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA OR ANY OF ITS AFFILIATES UNDER SUBSECTION 39.2(2.3) OF THE CANADA DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION ACT ("CDIC ACT") AND TO VARIATION OR EXTINGUISHMENT IN CONSEQUENCE AND SUBJECT TO THE APPLICATION OF THE LAWS OF THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO AND THE FEDERAL LAWS OF CANADA

APPLICABLE THEREIN IN RESPECT OF THE OPERATION OF THE CDIC ACT WITH RESPECT TO THE SENIOR NOTES.

Final Terms dated 4 April 2022

The Bank of Nova Scotia LEI: L3I9ZG2KFGXZ61BMYR72

Issue of HKD 451,000,000 3.54 per cent. Senior Notes due 5 April 2029 under the U.S.\$20,000,000,000

Euro Medium Term Note Programme

PART A – CONTRACTUAL TERMS

This document constitutes the final terms relating to the issue of Senior Notes described herein.

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the terms and conditions (the "Conditions") set forth in the prospectus dated 30 June 2021 and the supplemental prospectuses dated 24 August 2021, 14 December 2021 and 1 March 2022 which together constitute a base prospectus (the "Prospectus") for the purposes of the UK Prospectus Regulation. This document constitutes the Final Terms of the Senior Notes described herein for the purposes of Article 8 of the UK Prospectus Regulation and must be read in conjunction with such Prospectus in order to obtain all relevant information. The Prospectus is available for viewing during normal office hours at the office of the Fiscal Agent, Registrar and Transfer Agent and copies may be obtained from the principal office of the Issuer and may also be viewed on the website of the Regulatory News Service operated the London Stock Exchange http://www.londonstockexchange.com/exchange/news/market-news/market-news-home.html under the name of the Issuer.

INVESTORS SHOULD REFER TO THE SECTION HEADED "RISK FACTORS" IN THE PROSPECTUS FOR A DISCUSSION OF CERTAIN MATTERS THAT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED WHEN MAKING A DECISION TO INVEST IN THE SENIOR NOTES.

1.	(i)	Issuer:	The Bank of Nova Scotia
	(ii)	Branch of Account:	Head Office, Toronto
2.	(i)	Series Number:	378
	(ii)	Tranche Number:	1
	(iii)	Date on which the Senior Notes will be consolidated and form a single Series:	Not Applicable
3.	Specified Currency or Currencies:		Hong Kong Dollar (" HKD ")

4. Aggregate Principal Amount:

(i) Series: HKD 451,000,000

(ii) Tranche: HKD 451,000,000

5. Issue Price: 100.00 per cent. of the Aggregate

Principal Amount

6. (i) Specified Denomination(s): HKD 1,000,000

(ii) Calculation Amount: HKD 1,000,000

7. (i) Issue Date: 6 April 2022

(ii) Interest Commencement Date: Issue Date

8. Maturity Date: 5 April 2029

9. Interest Basis: 3.54 per cent. Fixed Rate

10. Redemption/Payment Basis: Redemption at par

11. Change of Interest: Not Applicable

12. Put/Call Options: Not Applicable

13. Bail-inable Notes: Yes. The Senior Notes are subject to

conversion under the Canadian bail-in

regime.

PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

14. Fixed Rate Note Provisions: Applicable

(i) Interest Rate: 3.54 per cent. per annum payable

annually in arrears

(ii) Interest Payment Dates: 5 April in each year, commencing on 5

April 2023, up to and including the Maturity Date (subject to adjustment for payment purposes only in accordance with the Business Day Convention set out in (iii) below)

(iii) Business Day Convention: Modified Following Business Day

Convention

(iv) Business Centre(s): Hong Kong, New York and Toronto

(v) Fixed Coupon Amount(s): Not Applicable

(vi) Broken Amount(s): Not Applicable

(vii) Day Count Fraction: Actual/365 (Fixed)

Calculation Agent: Not Applicable (viii) (ix) Benchmark- Replacement- ARRC Not Applicable (Condition 4(n)): Range Accrual: Not Applicable (xi) 15. **Floating Rate Note Provisions** Not Applicable 16. Zero Coupon/High Interest/Low Interest Not Applicable **Note Provisions** PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION 17. **Issuer Option (Call)** Not Applicable 18. **Noteholder Option (Put)** Not Applicable 19. **Bail-inable Notes - TLAC Disqualification** Applicable **Event Call**: 20. Final Redemption Amount of each Senior HKD 1,000,000 per Calculation Note Amount 21. **Early Redemption Amount** Early Redemption Amount(s) of each Senior HKD 1,000,000 per Calculation Note payable on redemption for taxation Amount reasons, or on event of default: GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE SENIOR NOTES 22. Form of Senior Notes: **Registered Notes:** Registered Notes in the form of a Certificate registered in the name of a nominee for a common depositary for Euroclear and Clearstream, Luxembourg 23. New Global Note (in respect of Bearer Notes) No or New Safekeeping Structure (in the case of Registered Notes): 24. Financial Centre(s) or other special provisions Hong Kong, New York and Toronto relating to Payment Dates: (Condition 6(h)) 25. Talons for future Coupons or Receipts to be No attached to definitive Notes (and dates on which such Talons mature): 26. Unmatured Coupons to become void on early Yes redemption:

27. Details relating to Instalment Notes: Not Applicable Instalment Amount, Instalment Date, Maximum Instalment Amount, Minimum Instalment Amount:

28. Redenomination Not Applicable

Signed on behalf of the Issuer:

By: <u>"Darren Potter"</u>

Duly authorised

PART B – OTHER INFORMATION

1. LISTING AND ADMISSION TO TRADING

- (i) Listing and Admission to Not Applicable trading:
- (ii) Estimate of total expenses Not Applicable related to admission to trading:

2. RATINGS

Ratings: The Senior Notes to be issued will be rated:

S&P Global Ratings, acting through S&P Global Ratings Canada, a business unit of S&P Global Canada Corp. ("S&P"): A-

S&P has, in its January 2021 publication "S&P Global Ratings Definitions" described a short-term rating of "A-" in the following terms:

"An obligation rated 'A' is somewhat more susceptible to the adverse effects of changes in circumstances and economic conditions than obligations in higher-rated categories. However, the obligor's capacity to meet its financial commitments on the obligation is still strong. Ratings from 'AA' to 'CCC' may be modified by the addition of a plus (+) or minus (-) sign to show relative standing within the rating categories."

Fitch Ratings, Inc. ("Fitch"): AA-

Fitch has in its 10 November 2021 publication "Rating Definitions" described a rating of "AA" in the following terms: "AA' ratings denote expectations of very low default risk. They indicate very strong capacity for payment of financial commitments. This capacity is not significantly vulnerable to foreseeable events. Within rating categories, Fitch may use modifiers. The modifiers "+" or "-" may be appended to a rating to denote relative status within major rating categories."

A credit rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities, and it may be subject to revision or withdrawal at any time. Each of the ratings above should be evaluated independently of any other rating.

3. INTERESTS OF NATURAL AND LEGAL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE ISSUE

Save for any fees payable to the relevant Dealer , so far as the Issuer is aware, no person involved in the offer of the Senior Notes has an interest material to the offer. The relevant Dealer and its

affiliates have engaged, and may in the future engage, in investment banking and/or commercial banking transactions with, and may perform other services for, the Issuer and its affiliates in the ordinary course of business.

4. TEFRA RULES

Whether TEFRA D or TEFRA C rules applicable or TEFRA rules not applicable:

TEFRA not applicable

5. YIELD

Indication of yield: 3.54 per cent. per annum

6. OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

(i) ISIN: XS2465651631

(ii) Common Code: 246565163

(iii) CFI Code: See the website of the Association of National

Numbering Agencies (ANNA) or alternatively sourced from the responsible National Numbering

Agency that assigned the ISIN

(iv) FISN: See the website of the Association of National

Numbering Agencies (ANNA) or alternatively sourced from the responsible National Numbering

Agency that assigned the ISIN

(v) Any clearing system(s) other Not Applicable than Euroclear and Clearstream,

Luxembourg and the relevant identification number(s):

5.11

(vi) Delivery: Delivery against payment

(vii) Names and addresses of Not Applicable additional Paying Agents (if

any):

7. DISTRIBUTION

(i) Method of distribution: Non-syndicated

(ii) If syndicated, names of Not Applicable

Managers:

(iii) Stabilisation Manager(s) (if Not Applicable

any):

(iv) If non-syndicated, name of Citigroup Global Markets Limited

relevant Dealer:

(v) Prohibition of Sales to EEA Applicable

Retail Investors:

(vi) Prohibition of Sales to UK Applicable Retail Investors:

(vii) Prohibition of Sales to Belgian Applicable Consumers:

(viii) U.S. Selling Restrictions: Reg. S Compliance Category 2; TEFRA not applicable

(ix) Intended to be held in a manner which would allow Eurosystem eligibility:

No. Whilst the designation is specified as "no" at the date of this Final Terms, should the Eurosystem eligibility criteria be amended in the future such that the Senior Notes are capable of meeting them the Senior Notes may then be deposited with one of the ICSDs as common safekeeper and registered in the name of a nominee of one of the ICSDs acting as common safekeeper. Note that this does not necessarily mean that the Senior Notes will then be recognized as eligible collateral for Eurosystem monetary policy and intraday credit operations by the Eurosystem at any time during their life. Such recognition will depend upon the ECB being satisfied that Eurosystem eligibility criteria have been met.

8. REASONS FOR OFFER AND ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS

(i) Use of proceeds: As specified in the Prospectus

(ii) Estimated Net proceeds: HKD 450,684,300

9. UK BENCHMARKS REGULATION Not Applicable

UK Benchmarks Regulation: Article

29(2)